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Waiver Request CC Docket Nos. 96-45 & 97-21 Form 471 Application #302736

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To Whom It May Concern:

I wish to request a deadline waiver on the 486 Notification Letter for the Funding year 2002.

I was unaware that we had never received out Funding Commitment Letter for the 2002 Funding Year It was only brought to my attention when AT&T mistakenly sent a congratulations letter in April 2003 stating year 5 instead of year 6 was recently accepted.

I requested a copy of the original letter from the SLD and when I received it I submitted the 486 Form. Since the 486 was submitted 120 days after the date of the original FCDL, we were denied the full Funding Commitment approved by the SLD.

Our school relies tremendously on the E-Rate refund and would appreciate a deadline waiver. Thank you in advance for your consideration.

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